



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Karunanandaa et al.

Serial No.: 09/885,723

Filed: June 20, 2001

For: TRANSGENIC PLANTS CONTAINING ALTERED LEVELS OF STEROID

COMPOUNDS

Group Art Unit: 1638

Examiner: Kallis, R.

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Re:

SN 09/885,723 "TRANSGENIC PLANTS CONTAINING ALTERED LEVELS OF

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Our Ref. MONS:018US; Client Ref. 51906-US 01

Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified matter, please find:

- 1. A Telephonic Interview Summary and Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116; and
- 2. A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please date stamp and mail this postcard.

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